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Title: HIGH-CURRENT AVALANCHE-TUNNELING AND INJECTION-TUNNELING  
SEMICONDUCTOR-DIELECTRIC-METAL STABLE COLD EMITTER, WHICH EMULATES  
THE NEGATIVE ELECTRON AFFINITY MECHANISM OF EMISSION

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated, August 22, 2002, rejecting the following claims 1-14 and 21-33.  
The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)) \$320.00.

(complete (a) or (b) as applicable)

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( ) The extension fee has already been filed in this application.

( ) (b) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

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